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RE: Legal Notice of Intent to Approve

This letter will confirm the authorization to publish the attached NOTICE in the San Juan Record on July 1, 2009.

Please mail the invoice and affidavit of publication to the Utah State Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Air Quality, P.O. Box 144820, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4820.

Sincerely,

Sharon Anderson
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cc: Southeastern Association of Governments
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Division of Air Quality will take public comments regarding the proposed Approval Order for La Sal Mines, Denison Mines (USA) Corp. The hearing will be held at 6:30 P.M. July 7, 2009, at the La Sal Community Center, next to La Sal Elementary School, on Highway 46, La Sal, Utah 84530.

Denison Mines (USA) Corp. has requested to reactivate a complex of underground uranium and vanadium mines that make up the La Sal Mines. The mines are located in the vicinity of La Sal, on the south flank of the La Sal Mountains in San Juan County.

La Sal mines consist of four separate underground mines: Pandora, Beaver Shaft, La Sal and Snowball. Mine production is planned only at the Pandora Mine and the Beaver Shaft, while the other two mine areas will be used for maintenance activities. At the Pandora and Beaver Shaft sites, ore will be loaded onto trucks for transport to off-site processing facilities.

There will be no on-site processing (physical or chemical) of ore at the mines; accordingly, there will be no tailings or reject material (e.g. crusher fines).

San Juan County is an attainment area of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for all pollutants. National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) 40 CFR parts 61 subpart B (National Emissions Standards for Radon Emissions From Underground Uranium Mines) applies to this source. New Source Performance Standard (NSPS) and Maximum Achievable Control Technologies (MACT) regulations do not apply to this source. Title V of the 1990 Clean Air Act applies to this source as an area source.

The emissions from the operations will result in the following, in tons per year, potential to emit totals: $PM_{10} = 9.8$, $NO_x = 0.50$, $SO_2 = 0.03$, $CO = 0.11$, $VOC = 0.04$.

Denison Mines (USA) Corp. must comply with detailed requirements, limitations and conditions outlined in the proposed Approval Order. A full copy of the order is available at the Division of Air Quality, Utah Department of Environmental Quality, 150 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah.

All comments will be evaluated before the Division of Air Quality issues a final Approval Order.

Date of Notice: July 1, 2009

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